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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Monica A. Hamer, et al.  
Serial No. 10/090,337  
Filed: March 4, 2002  
Title: ORGANOGELE PARTICLES

Examiner: Le, Hoa T.  
Group Art Unit: 1773  
Docket No. 496.022US2

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**The following documents are hereby submitted:**


- ☒ Amendment and Response (9 pages)  
☒ Transmittal Sheet  
☒ Return postcard

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(1) Highest Number of Claims Previously Paid For	(3) Present Extra	Rate	Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	-	23	0	x 9.00 =	\$00.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5	-	3	2	X 43.00 =	\$86.00
[ ] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED						\$00.00
TOTAL						\$86.00

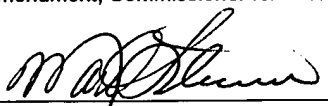
Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for sufficient number of months to enter these papers if an additional extension of time is deemed necessary by the Office. Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account Number 50-1391 if such additional extension is necessary.

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on March 15, 2004.

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed on December 15, 2003. Please debit any costs or fees associated with the filing of this Amendment and any necessary extensions of time to **Attorney's Deposit Account No. 501391**.

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